

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

IN RE: NATIONAL FOOTBALL
LEAGUE PLAYERS' CONCUSSION
INJURY LITIGATION

MDL No. 2323
No. 12-md-2323-AB

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:

CIVIL ACTION
Case No. 2:12-cv-1024

LARRY BARNES, et al.

Plaintiffs,

v.

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE, et al.,

Defendants.

**RE-FILED [PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING RIDDELL DEFENDANTS' REQUEST
FOR JUDICIAL NOTICE IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO SEVER**

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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

LARRY BARNES, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE, et
al.,

Defendants.

CASE NO.: CV 11-8396 R (MANx)

**[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING
RIDDELL DEFENDANTS'
REQUEST FOR JUDICIAL NOTICE
IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO
SEVER**

Date: January 17, 2012

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Dept: Courtroom 8

Judge: Hon. Manuel L. Real

Notice of related cases:

No. CV 11-08394 R (MANx)

No. CV 11-08395 R (MANx)

1 Defendants RIDDELL, INC. (erroneously styled as “d/b/a Riddell sports
2 Group, Inc.”); ALL AMERICAN, SPORTS CORPORATION; RIDDELL
3 SPORTS GROUP, INC.; EASTON-BELL SPORTS, INC.; EASTON-BELL
4 SPORTS, LLC; EB SPORTS CORP.; and RBG HOLDINGS CORP’S
5 (collectively, the “Riddell Defendants”) Request for Judicial Notice in Support of
6 their Motion to Sever came on regularly for hearing on January 17, 2012, at 10:00
7 a.m. in Courtroom 8 of the United States District Court, the Honorable Manuel L.
8 Real presiding. After full consideration of the papers filed in connection with the
9 request, the arguments of counsel, and all other papers on file in this action, the
10 Riddell Defendants’ Request for Judicial Notice is GRANTED.

11 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT this Court takes judicial notice of the
12 following:

- 13 1. The fact that football helmets have changed considerably between
14 1956 and 2009; and,
- 15 2. The dates of incorporation and formation of the Riddell Defendants as
16 listed on the Delaware and Illinois Secretaries of States’ online
17 databases.

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19 DATED: _____

By: _____
HONORABLE MANUEL L. REAL